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Honorable Naomi Reice Buchwald United States District Judge Southern District of New York United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street New York, New York 10007

> Re: <u>United States v. Michael Lee and Bernard Hui.</u> 07 CR 846 (HRB)

Dear Judge Buchwald,

With the consent of the government, by AUSA Jonathan New, I respectfully request that my client Bernard Hui be permitted to travel with his family to Newington, CT to visit his wife's uncle Michael Lew on Saturday, November 3, 2007 for the day. Mr. Lew's address is 219 Audubon Avenue, Newington CT 06111 and Mr. Hui's cellphone number is 917-929-2410. Pretrial Service Officer Clay Smith has no objection to this request.

I thank Your Honor for your courtesy and consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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cc: AUS

AUSA Jonathan New Pretrial Officer Clay Smith

Bernard Hui